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City of Anderson Attn: Mr. Jeff Caldwell, P.E. Director, Utilities Division 601 South Main Street Anderson, South Carolina 29624

Re: Review of the Infrastructure Rehabilitation Program

Administrative Order on Consent, Docket No.: CWA-04-2014-4754

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 4 has reviewed the Infrastructure Rehabilitation Program (IRP) for the City of Anderson (the City) pursuant to Section III.17.H of the subject Administrative Order on Consent (AOC) above. The EPA has identified the following questions and issues needing additional clarification.

IRP Questions and Comments:

- 1. The AOC requires the City evaluate the effectiveness of completed rehabilitation work on gravity sewer lines, manholes, pump stations, and force mains. How will the City evaluate the effectiveness of completed rehabilitation work?
- 2. The AOC requires the City establish an ongoing inventory of gravity sewer line, manhole, pump station, and force main rehabilitation, including the rehabilitation technique used. Where will the City maintain the required inventory? The inventory must be updated as additional rehabilitation work is scheduled and completed.
- 3. The AOC requires the City to rehabilitate all components in the wastewater collection and transmission system that have been identified as in need of rehabilitation under the Continuing Sewer Assessment Program. How will the City ensure this requirement is met?
- 4. What is the City's anticipated timeline for completing currently scheduled gravity sewer line, manhole, pump station, and force main rehabilitation work?

Please contact Ms. Sara Janovitz at (404) 562-9870 or via email at janovitz.sara@epa.gov, within five (5) days of receipt of this letter to schedule your attendance at a meeting either in person or via telephone conference.

Sincerely,

Maurice L. Horsey, IV, Chief

Municipal & Industrial Enforcement Section NPDES Permitting and Enforcement Branch

cc: Mr. Glenn Trofatter

South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control